

National NET Patient Day

November 8th, 2014

Timetable

09:00 – 10:00	Registration and Tea/Coffee
10:00 – 10:10	Welcome Address
10:10 – 10:30	Dr Susan O'Reilly, Director of the National Cancer Control Program
10:30 – 11:00	Prof Dermot O'Toole, National Lead for NETs Ireland
11:00 – 11:30	Dr Dan Granberg, Senior Consultant in Endocrine Oncology, Uppsala University Hospital, Sweden
11:30 – 12:45	Q&A Panel Prof Dermot O'Toole (St Vincents University Hospital) Dr Dan Granberg (Uppsala University Hospital) Prof Donal O'Shea (St Vincents University Hospital) Dr Derek Power (Mercy University Hospital) Mr Críostóir Ó Suilleabháin (Mercy University Hospital) Dr Greg Leonard (Galway University Hospital)
12:45 – 14:00	Lunch
14:00 – 14:30	Information Sessions Slot #1
14:45 – 15:15	Information Sessions Slot #2
15:30 – 16:00	Wrap-up and closing address

Information Session Topics (running in parallel – repeated in both slots:

<p><i>Somatostatin Analogue Injections</i> Nurse delivered information session covering Sandostatin and Lanreotide injections: what they are, what the needle is like, how they are given, what to do if you miss one, what to do if you are going on holidays, etc.</p>	<p><i>Diagnostics and Terminology</i> Information session led by NET Specialist Nurse, Ms Lisa Cullen Typical scans and tests explained - MRI, CT, CgA, 5HIAA , Octreoscan - what these are and how/when to schedule tests in advance of consultant appointment, explain some of the terms used such as Ki Index, etc.</p>	<p><i>Treatment Abroad</i> Information session led by NET patients practical advice on the forms needed, travel arrangements, airports, money requirements, where to stay, what to bring with you, etc.</p>
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